

Rule 1.53(b) Division
of USSN 10/021,082

REMARKS

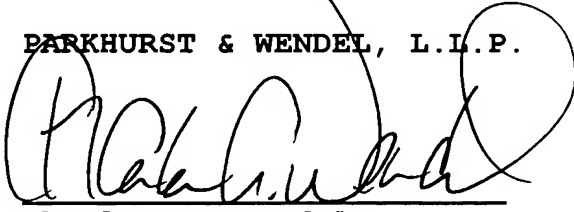
Claims non-elected in the parent case are presented for examination here. Claim 16 has been revised to eliminate multiple claim dependency and new claims 17 to 19 have been added to take the place of the coverage eliminated by the revision to claim 16. Thus, claims 12 to 19 are before the Examiner for consideration.

An Information Disclosure Statement listing the references cited in the parent case is enclosed.

An early examination of claims 12 to 19 is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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